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Uranium mining operations in the ~~former~~ coal and ore mines at Freital near Dresden are expanding [ ] with the opening of shafts in four different localities. Cross shafts are being sunk into the mountain side in old pits along the Windberg and the Wolfsberg in Freital, and abandoned deep shafts are being cleared in Possendorf and Bannewitz near Freital.

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2. The city of Freital has been required to furnish quarters for twelve hundred miners and forty Russian officers and specialists. A new MVD agency, which has a fairly large prison at its disposal, has been established and is operating in a school in Freital.

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